

Application No. 09/935,668
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REMARKS

Claims 1, 3-5, 7, 9-11, 13-14 and 18-22 are pending in the present application. Claims 19 and 22 are herein canceled. No new matter has been entered.

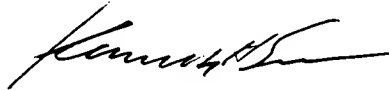
In view of the cancellation of the only presently rejected claims, and in view of the reversal of the previously pending rejections of the remaining claims 1, 3-5, 7, 9-11, 13-14, 18 and 20-21, Applicants submit that the remaining claims 1, 3-5, 7, 9-11, 13-14, 18 and 20-21 are in condition for allowance. Applicants request such action at an early date.

If the Examiner believes that this application is not now in condition for allowance, the Examiner is requested to contact Applicants' undersigned attorney to arrange for an interview to expedite the disposition of this case.

If this paper is not timely filed, Applicants respectfully petition for an appropriate extension of time. The fees for such an extension or any other fees that may be due with respect to this paper may be charged to Deposit Account No. 50-2866.

Respectfully submitted,

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